



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Re U.S. Patent Application of

KAWASHIMA

Application Number: 09/748,203

Filed: December 27, 2000

**For: CUSHION STRUCTURE AND MANUFACTURING
METHOD AND APPARATUS OF THE SAME**

Attorney Docket No. HASE.0051

Art Unit 3636

**Examiner
Nelson Jr., Milton**

**Honorable Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231**

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COVER LETTER

Sir:

[x] The fee for submission of claims is calculated as shown below:

| FOR | TOTAL WITH NEW CLAIMS ADDED | TOTAL CURRENTLY ON FILE | CLAIMS PAID | RATE | CALCULATION |
|---|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|--------------|-------------|
| Total Claims | 5 | 5 | -XX (Over 20) | x \$18 | 0 |
| Independent Claims | 1 | 1 | -XX (Over 3) | x \$86 | 0 |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) | | | | + \$290 | 0 |
| REDUCTION FOR FILING BY SMALL ENTITY (note 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28). IF APPLICABLE, VERIFIED STATEMENT MUST BE ATTACHED | | | | x ½ | |
| | | | | TOTAL | 0.00 |

In addition, the below-identified communications are submitted in the above-captioned application or proceeding:

[x] Response to Office Action

[x] Petition for Extension of Time (2 months)

[] Substitute Specification

[] Terminal Disclaimer

[] Preliminary Amendment

[] Letter to Draftsperson

[] Other _____

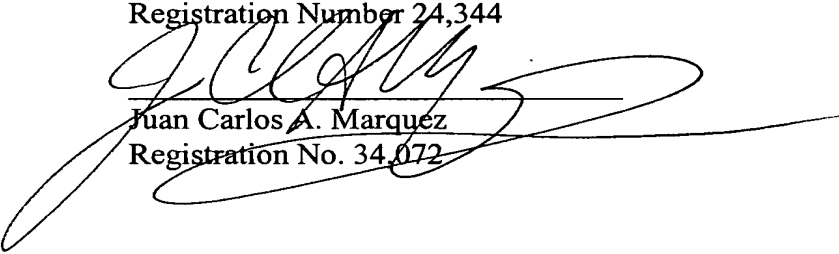
[] Assignment

[] Petition under _____

- ☐ Please charge my **Deposit Account Number** _____ in the amount of _____ to cover the fees for _____. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☒ A check in the amount of **\$210.00** to cover the two-month extension fee is enclosed. Applicant qualifies for small entity status.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication, including fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to **Deposit Account Number 08-1480**.

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